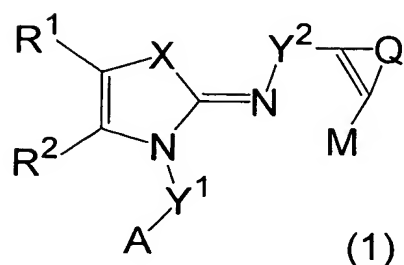


## ABSTRACT

A compound represented by the formula (1):



(wherein X represents sulfur or oxygen;  $R^1$  and  $R^2$  each represents a group represented by the formula  $-Y^3-Z$ , etc.;  $Y^3$  represents a single bond or (un)substituted alkylene;  $Y^1$  and  $Y^2$  each represents (un)substituted alkylene; Z represents hydrogen, an (un)saturated monocyclic heterocyclic group, etc.; M represents carboxy, etc.; Q represents o-phenylene, etc.; and A represents an (un)saturated monocyclic hydrocarbon group, etc.), a prodrug thereof, or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt of either. They are compounds having chymase inhibitory activity and useful as a therapeutic agent for hypertension, cardiac failure, etc.